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Dear Sirs:

Abrams et al., the Patentees of the above-identified patent, through their attorney, hereby petition for issuance of a Certificate of Correction in the above identified patent. A Certificate of Correction is enclosed. The Certificate of Correction is required to correct a significant printing error in Claim 12 as follows:

Claim 12, Col. 9, line 31, "more bafflers or" should be --more barriers or--.

Enclosed is a copy of page 5 of Substitute Amendment F filed December 11, 2007, showing claim 12 (previously claim 23). Since the errors were a Patent Office error, it is believed that the Certificate of Correction should be issued without charge to the Applicant.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Claim 12, Col. 9, line 31, "more bafflers or" should be --more barriers or--.

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powdered pharmaceutical ingredients at two or more different selected sites within a patient's alimentary canal,

wherein said two or more powdered pharmaceutical ingredients are deposited on said membrane, separated from one another by one or more barriers or membranes, and wherein said two or more powdered pharmaceutical ingredients are selected from the group consisting of Ketoconazole and testosterone; Valacylovir and one or both of Cimetidine and Probenecid; Enalapril and a beta-adrenergic blocking agent, methyldopa, nitrate, a calcium blocking agent, hydrazinc, Prazosin or Digoxin; Omeprazole and B12; Tamoxifen and a diuretic; Isotretinoin and an oral contraceptive; and Metformin HC1 and Sulfonylurea.

Claim 24 (new): A pharmaceutical delivery package according to claim 22, wherein said ingestible membrane comprises an alkali-dissolvable or acid-dissolvable material.

Claim 25 (new): A pharmaceutical delivery package according to claim 23, wherein said ingestible membrane comprises an alkali-dissolvable or acid-dissolvable material.

Claim 26 (new): A pharmaceutical delivery package according to claim 5, wherein said ingestible membrane comprises an alkali-dissolvable or acid-dissolvable material.

Claim 27 (new): A pharmaceutical delivery package according to claim 21, wherein said membrane is formed into a tablet or capsule.

Claim 28 (new): A pharmaceutical delivery package according to claim 21, wherein said powdered pharmaceutical ingredients are segregated from one another in a compartmentalized capsule.

Claim 29 (new): A pharmaceutical delivery package according to claim 22, wherein said membrane is formed into a tablet or capsule.

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